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OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21, 1868.

The Intercanoe Canal project is still a prominent topic of consideration, and were it not for the very ridiculousness of the idea, one might suppose that somebody had in view the bringing about of a little unpleasantness between the United States and Foreign Powers. One thing, however, is very certain; matters are getting into pretty deep waters. Claimants for the exclusive right of constructing the canal are already in the field, with the American Atlantic and Pacific Canal Company well in the front.

The Spanish Claims Commission, after a torpidity of nearly a twelve month, is beginning to show some signs of activity, and will this week resume their sessions. This will be good news to many claimants who were fearing that their hotel bills would absorb pretty much all they expected to receive from the commission in the way of awards.

A bill has passed the Senate appropriating the sum of \$1,000,-- for the purpose of removing the to West Point, in accordance with a wish which he expressed previous to his death.

The Superintendent of the Census has issued instructions to Supervisors that the appointment of Enumerators should be strictly non-partisan. He also states that he is not aware of any existing reason why women should not be appointed as enumerators, but that each supervisor should be the best judge of the advantages which might accrue from such appointment in his district.

The bill to provide for the employment of additional clerks in the Pension Office will be good news to many claimants throughout the country. There is some chance now of their getting their money, if entitled to it, before they die.

There are many applications for the vacant Indian Commissionership. The Hon. R. E. Trowbridge of Michigan is mentioned prominently but there is every probability that the present acting Commissioner Books will be the successful candidate.

A petition signed by a number of leading members of the New York mercantile community was presented to the House of Representatives, praying for the passage of a National Bankrupt Law. There appeared to be a general movement throughout the country in favor of such a law.

Petitions against the reduction of the duty upon steel rails have been presented by the officers of various Railroads having a total of over 15,000 miles. They assert that such reduction will be prejudicial to railroad interests and to American Steel industry.

A bill for holding an international industrial exhibition in New York in 1863 has been reported upon favorably by the Senate Finance Committee. This commission will consist of two members from each State and one from each Territory, and about sixty citizens of New York who are specified by name. The commission is authorized to receive subscriptions to the capital stock not exceeding \$12,000,000, to be divided into shares.

Washington is being strongly pushed as the place for the meeting of the National Democratic Convention, but in the estimation of competent judges the selection

lies between Cincinnati and Washington, and in all probability the Ohio delegation will decide the question. Washington is however especially adapted for the purpose, having ample hotel accommodation and the hall of the New National Museum capable of holding 5,000 people, will be completed in time for the use of the convention.

THE CARE OF THE TEETH.

In detailing the method of cleaning the teeth, the use of a toothpick is the most simple. But those persons first that, with their best efforts, they can not keep their teeth perfectly clean by the use of brush and water alone. We, too, have experienced the same difficulty. While entering upon the subject of tooth decay, we believe, we do with caution, for we know that the teeth are quite upon dangerous ground. So many of these things sold in the shops under us or the other of these names, when the teeth only to destroy them in the end, owing to the presence of some acid in their composition, that we almost feel that the advice we can give our readers in relation to them is to avoid them altogether.

Some persons tell us that they got their teeth well cleaned once a year; that is, in strawberry-time. This to our mind, demonstrates two things very conclusively. The one is, that a man living upon the food nature intended should be able to prevent any further decay, and having gotten your teeth well cleaned, you ought certainly to be able to keep them clean, especially if the direction given in the paper are carefully followed. But if at any time signs of caries should manifest themselves, then go to your dentist, and have the matter referred to him. If you are unable to visit your dentist once in a while, at any rate, and present your mouth for his examination. With his instruments, and his little mirror, exposing to view the inside as well as the outside of the teeth, and the back as well as the front, he may often be able to detect a cavity earlier, even to discover a cavity without a side-side, they would escape your own scrutiny.

In conclusion, then, we say to you and to all: Live as close to nature as you can in the matter of food and diet. This will be better for your teeth not only, but also for your general health. Do not eat too much sugar, candies, or jellies, nor a nutcracker of shell-barks. — JAMES COULTER LAYARD, in *Phrenological Journal*.

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